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1. RESERVATIONS FOR 21 DOUBLES AND 10 SINGLES AT THE SHELBOURNE HOTEL HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED. THE EC INFORMATION OFFICE (ECIO) HAS ARRANGED FOR SIX SEDANS AND DRIVERS, IN ADDITION TO BUS, FOR USE OF COMBINED US AND EUROPEAN DELEGATIONS THROUGHOUT DUBLIN VISIT. WILL THIS BE SUFFICIENT OR SHOULD WE HAVE TWO SEPARATE VEHICLES SPECIFICALLY DESIGNATED FOR US DELEGATION? IS CODEL PROVIDED WITH 19FT510 FUNDS?

2. ECIO WILL HAVE CONTROL ROOMS AT DUBLIN CASTLE AND SHELBOURNE HOTEL. EMBASSY WILL HAVE PERSONNEL AT THE SHELBOURNE CONTROL ROOM FOR ACCOMODATION EXCHANGE AND OTHER MATTERS. DUBLIN CHIEF OF ECIO JOSEPH FAHEY WILL COORDINATE AFFAIRS HERE (OFFICE TEL. 76 19 13). DERMOT MCKEEVER FROM EC PARLIAMENT OFFICE LUXEMBOURG WILL ALSO BE IN DUBLIN TO ASSIST IN THIS VISIT.

3. WE HAVE REVIEWED SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE BY IRISH POLICE AND CONCLUDE THEY SHOULD BE MORE THAN ADEQUATE.

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THE ECIO:

WEDNESDAY 21 APRIL 1976

MORNING (TIME TO BE CONFIRMED) - ARRIVAL OF U.S. CONGRESS
DELEGATION BY SPECIAL AIRCRAFT.

14.30-14.45 - GEORGE'S HALL DUBLIN CASTLE, ADDRESS OF WELCOME
BY THE MINISTER FOR POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS DR CONOR CRUISE-O'BRIEN
T.D.

14.45-17.30 - QUESTION AND ANSWER PERIOD (1 HR.) (EACH DELEGATION
HAS SUBMITTED 3 QUESTIONS TO THE OTHER IN ADVANCE).

- DEVELOPMENT OF EAST-WEST RELATIONS

U.S. - "IS DETENTE DEAD?"

E. P. - "THE EUROPEAN SCENE IN THE YEARPFTER HELSINKI"AD

18.30-19.30
- COCKTAIL RECEPTION GIVEN BY THE U.S. AMBASSADOR
MR WALTER P. CURLEY AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY BALLSBRIDGE.

20.15 - BUFFET DINNER GIVEN BY THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT FOR
PARTICIPANTS AT THE MEETING AND LEADING PERSONALITIES OF IRISH
POLITICAL LIFE IN THE ROYAL HIBERNIAN HOTEL.

THURSDAY, 22 APRIL 1976

09.30-11.30 - SESSION II
- DISCUSSION OF DRAFT CODE ON MULTINATIONAL CONCERNS
11.30 - DEPARTURE BY COACH FOR TOUR OF SOUTH COUNTY DUBLIN.

16.00 - PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED BY AN
TUACHTARAN MR CEARBHALL O DALAIGH AT ARAS AN
UACHTARAIN (PRESIDENT OF IRELAND).

16.45-18.30 - SESSION III
- POLITICAL ASPECTS OF THE WORLD FOOD SITUATION
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U.S. - "U.S.-USSR GRAIN TRANSACTIONS"
E.P. - "FUTURE EEC POLICIES ON AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS"

WPMPP A IRISH GOVERNMENT RECEPTION IN THE DEPARTMENT OF
FOREIGN AFFAIRS, IVEAGH HOUSE.

FRIDAY, 23 APRIL 1976

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09.30-12.00 - SESSION IV
- U.S. AND EUROPEAN VIEWS ON MEDITERRANEAN PROBLEMS
U.S. - "U.S. INTERESTS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN:
MILITARY BASES AND POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT"
E.P. - "FUTURE ROLES OF GREECE, PORTUGAL AND SPAIN
IN AN INTEGRATED EUROPE"

12 NOON - PRESS CONFERENCE

12.30 - FAREWELL LUNCH FOR DELEGATES AT THE SHELBOURNE HOTEL

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5. THE ECIO WILL ISSUE THE FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE ON
APRIL 8:

ABOUT TWENTY MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS WILL
BE IN DUBLIN DURING EASTER WEEK, FOR A MEETING WITH A DELEGATION
FROM THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT.

THE MEETING, THE NINTH IN A SERIES OF REGULAR CONTACTS
BETWEEN THE CONGRESS AND THE PARLIAMENT, WILL BE HELD IN
GEORGE'S HALL DUBLIN CASTLE, BEGINNING ON WEDNESDAY APRIL 21
AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE FOLLOWING FRIDAY. THESE MEETINGS ARE
HELD TWICE EVERY YEAR, ALTERNATELY IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN

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EUROPE.

A NUMBER OF TOPICS OF INTEREST IN THE FIELD OF EEC-US
RELATIONS WILL BE DISCUSSED DURING THE DUBLIN MEETING. UNDER
THE GENERAL HEADING OF DEVELOPMENT OF EAST/WEST RELATIONS,
DELEGATES WILL DISCUSS DETENTE AND THE EUROPEAN SCENE IN THE
YEAR AFTER HELSINKI. THE POSITION OF MULTINATIONAL COMPANIES
WILL ALSO BE ON THE AGENDA. THE DELEGATIONS WILL ALSO EXAMINE
THE POLITICAL ASPECTS OF THE WORLD FOOD SITUATION IN WHICH
US-USSR GRAIN TRANSACTIONS, WILL BE CONSIDERED IN CONJUNCTION
WITH FUTURE EEC POLICIES ON AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS. THE FINAL
SESSION WILL BE DEVOTED TO AN EXAMINATION OF MEDITERRANEAN
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PROBLEMS, INCLUDING US INTEREST IN THE AREA, MILITARY BASES
AND POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT, AND THE FUTURE ROLES OF GREECE,
PORTUGAL AND SPAIN IN AN INTEGRATED EUROPE.

AT THE OPENING SESSION, DELEGATES WILL BE WELCOMED BY
THE MINISTER FOR POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS DR CONOR CRUISE-O'BRIEN
T.D., IN THE PRESENCE OF THE CATHAOIRLEACH OF THE SEANAD
PROFESSOR J.C. DOOGE, AND MR MAURICE DOCKRELL T.D. REPRESENTING
THE CEANN COMHAIRLE MR TREACY. THE DELEGATIONS WILL BE
RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT MR CEARBHALL O DALAIGH AT ARAS AN
UACHTARAIN ON APRIL 22ND, AND ON THE SAME EVENING WILL BE GUESTS
AT A GOVERNMENT RECEPTION IN IVEAGH HOUSE.

THE AMERICAN DELEGATION WILL INCLUDE MEMBERS OF THE
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
THE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE, THE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE, THE
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, AND THE BANKING, CURRENCH AND HOUSING
COMMITTEE. ALL OF THE POLITICAL GROUPS, AND EIGHT OF THE NINE
EEC MEMBER STATES WILL BE REPRESENTED IN THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT
DELEGATION. THE IRISH MEMBERS ARE SENATOR BRIAN LENIHAN (FIANNA
FAIL), MR LIAM KAVANAGH T.D. (LABOUR), AND MR CHARLES MCDONALD
T.D. (FINE GAEL). CURLEY

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